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NEWSPAPER SCOOPS.

How Leadville Reporters Entertain Each Other.

Having a Man Postpone a Shooting Scrape to Scoop a Cotemporary—An Item in a Three Year Old Corpse.

[Leadville Chronicle.]

Occasionally a newspaper reporter gets an opportunity to go into some more exalted walk of life—driving a dray, stoking an engine, bossing a woodyard, or something of that sort. One of these fortunate individuals strolled into the Chronicle office last evening, and seating himself by a reporter began to entertain him with some personal reminiscence.

"That account of finding a stiff over on Frying Pan," he said, balancing himself on the two hind legs of his chair, "that fellow with a bullet-hole in his head, you know, that reminds me of a little incident when I was a-reporting that I can't ever think of without it makes me feel sad."

"What was it, anyhow?" asked the plumbago demolisher, pushing back his silk hat and lighting a fifty-cent cigar—(this is somewhat figurative.)

"Didn't you ever hear 'bout me finding that stiff up in the hills?" asked the ex-reparter, incredulous that any one shouldn't have heard of the affair.

"No, tell me about it, will you?" replied the victim.

"I will if you desire it," said the visitor, his eyes assuming a dreamy appearance as he rolled them, so to speak, into the dim past. "It was between four and five years ago, and I was running a paper on the Hills. "It was an evening sheet, and there were two inside blankets they called journals used to come out in the morning. There was a big rivalry between us to get the news, and we used to do most anything to get a 'scoop' on each other. Well, one of these morning papers got it on me in a sort of underhanded way one day. It seems there was a big fellow named Jameson had a lot jumped, and was dusting around town with a gun to massacre the men that jumped it as soon as he could catch them one at a time. The morning papers found out about it, and offered him $50 to postpone the festivities until after we went to press. He was a mercenary cuss and took them up, and that night he gave a couple of 'em a lot that nobody cared to jump; it was a lot in the cemetry. Well, what do think those mean scoundrels did then?"

The reporter said he had no idea.

"Why, they just switched right around and advocated hanging him, and the editors headed a mob of Vigilantes, and before morning they caught him and strung him up. Then they came out with full particulars of both the murder and the lynching. What do you think of a business like that, anyhow?"

The pencil-puncher remarked that he considered it a violation of journalistic ethics that no gentleman would be guilty of.

"That's just the way I looked at it," continued the narrator, in some excitement, "but it made us all hopping mad, and we just lay to get even. About a week after that a fellow came into town one evening, terribly excited. It was just after we went to press, and I was the first man that met him. He said he was coming over the range that day and saw a human foot sticking out of a snow-bank. It scared him so he never stopped to take a second look, but just made a bee-line for town, hollering most all the way. This was meat, and I made up my mind I'd keep the morning papers from getting onto it, so I took him out and got him drunk, beastly drunk, and bunked him in my bed. Early next morning I made him get up, and we started out on a couple of horses to find the stiff. He was sort of reluctant, but I made him go, and after a while we got to the spot. There, sure enough, was a foot sticking out of the snow, and I felt so good that I just gave a shriek of joy, and started to dig him out. We hadn't got down very far before we saw that the man was nothing but a stack of bones—all a skeleton, and must have lying there nearly a year. That was all the better, and we worked away getting him out. It was a terrible job, and after awhile we got to the head—that is, the skull, for there wasn't any flesh on it, and there, right in the forehead, was a bullet hole. When I saw it I thought I should weep—I was so overjoyed. The pockets had rotted away, long ago, and so there was nothing to search, so we just collared the skull and rode into town. I would have done you good to see how I dished that up. Headlines! Well, It guess not! Only ten of them, and set up in the biggest type we could get in the columns. I rung in a sort of delicate allusion in two or three of them about that being a stand-off on the hanging bee, and wound up with a remark or two about legitimate news gathering and dishonest underhand scooping. I calculated that would paralyze the other fellows, and you bet it did. I was the biggest man in camp until evening, and when I was going over to the office I happened to meet the Coroner. He was kind of laughing, and hollered out: 'Look here, where did you find that corpse, anyhow?' I told him and he began to laugh again. What in thunder are you laughing at? I asked. I don't see anything very ludicrous 'bout as solemn a thing as death is. 'Show me that skull,' he said, and I took him into the office and handed her out. As soon as he saw it I thought he'd die laughing. What's the matter with you Doc? I said; are you full again, or are you only going crazy? 'Why, you big sucker,' he yelled out, 'what do you disturb the dead for? I held an inquest on him three years ago. He committed suicide, and we just buried him where he fell. I expect the rain must have washed him out again.' I did't stop to hear any more, I was too disgusted; but I just started out to find that fellow that gave me the item. You see, he was a chronic lush that the morning paper fellows had hired to put up the job on me. They thought that was a terrible good joke, and used to call me Hamlet, you know, and—"

At this interesting juncture somebody yelled at the narrator from down stairs, and he disappeared, without taking time to tell more of his trials and tribulations.

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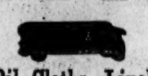
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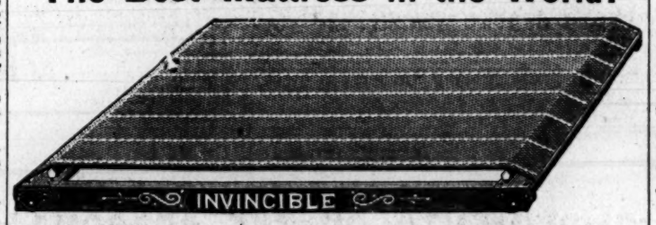

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THE TIMES office is connected with the telephone system of this city, and those desiring to advertise in or subscribe for this paper can do so by this means.

NEWS OF THE MORNING.

Liberian affairs are to be investigated.

Scarlet fever is raging in New York City.

The Viscount Helmsley, of Yorkshire, is dead.

By the Warsaw panic forty-six people were killed.

A disastrous fire occurred in Attleboro, Mass., yesterday.

The town of Durand, Wis., was destroyed by fire recently.

The State Teachers' Association are in session at San Francisco.

Wheat in San Francisco is quoted at $1.60 and $1.62 for best grades.

The Chilian Minister at Washington will issue a pamphlet on his country.

The Chinese Minister will be presented to President Arthur next Saturday.

Alex Stephens is in favor of Congress chartering a Nicaraguan Canal Company.

Fifteen hundred converts to Mormonism have been made in England during the past year.

Captain Blair, from Mexico, furnishes important information of the Apache uprising in Sonora.

The Western Union Telegraph Company announce a general reduction in message rates to take place January 1st.

A BETTER UNION WANTED.

The fact is apparent that the nations of the American continent are not as closely united as their common interests and aims would suggest and demand. America is thoroughly distinct from the rest of the world in her most prominent attributes. The very name itself implies liberty of thought and action in the broadest acceptance of the term, as opposed to Europe and Asia, which are synonymous of the the most contracted terms of despotism and oppression. The peculiar and liberal meaning of the word not only applies to this Government, but includes the whole group of nations on the American continent. While from the meaning of our common name, the conditions of our origin and the distinctive position we occupy as the predestined producers of the world's food supply, it is but natural that such indissoluble ties should bind the governments of this continent that a common brotherhood of nations should exist from Canada to Patagonia. Strange as it may seem, however, this is far from the true state of affairs. Unnatural as may appear the idea, it is an acknowledged fact that but little more sympathy exists between the governments of the American continent than between those of Europe and America. This condition of affairs is certainly to be deplored as it is a standing reproach to the much vaunted enlightened institutions of America. The present movement in Washington aiming to remedy this evil by a revival of the much heralded Congress of Panama plan is certainly a good idea and should be pushed by the proper authorities of this Government. The object to be attained by such a Congress, the better union of the Western nations, is doubly desirous at the present time when the governments of Europe are straining every nerve to get a foothold on this continent by means of the various isthmus canal schemes.

THE improvement of Wilmington harbor is a matter of vital importance to the city of Los Angeles. The best expert engineers say that the harbor can be made a very valuable and satisfactory adjunct to this city. All that is now required to accomplish this result is the requisite govermental aid. The Chamber of Commerce of this place have taken hold of this matter in true business style and it is to be hoped that the citizens will give them such assistance that their efforts will be crowned with complete success.

GUITEAU evidently had a regular "picnic" Sunday, if his own description can be taken for anything. He said yesterday, "I had a nice Christmas dinner, yesterday, with plenty of fruit, flowers and lady visitors. I had a general good time of it." When the jury bring in their verdict Mr. Guiteau will have another "picnic." Then it will be "plenty of rope, black cap and thin air." The poor people will have the "general good time" on that occasion.

THE TIMES will issue its regular Sunday supplement next Sunday morning as usual. Besides the interesting resume of society and sporting news, the supplement will contain an attractive special article on some local topic. Saturday's edition of the TIMES will contain a dramatic New Year's story after the style of the Christmas story of last week.

A BROTHER-IN-LAW of Commodore Vanderbilt has been discovered in a Staten Island poor house where he has been for twenty years. The ways of the rich are certainly mysterious.

THE WIRE'S WORK.

The Happenings of a Day at Home and Abroad.

AFFAIRS AT THE NATION'S CAPITAL.

Progress of the Guiteau Case—The Relentless Apache in Mexico—News from New York—'Frisco Fancies.

[Associated Press Dispatches.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—Senor Martinez, the Chilian Minister here, has issued a seventeen-page pamphlet, treating on the difficulty between Chili, on the one hand, and Peru and Bolivia, on the other. The work, he says, is not to be considered as an official document, but is issued to correct many existing errors, and to give light to Congress, to which body he hears Peru and Bolivia propose to appeal.

LIBERIAN AFFAIRS.

The gunboat Essex leaves Norfolk the first of January for the Pacific. On her way she will visit Liberia to investigate matters between the natives and authorities of Liberia, and to settle any disputes that may have have arisen since the Alaska was there. It is believed the treaties then entered into by the natives are not properly complied with.

THE PRESIDENT'S CALLERS.

The President has received a number of callers at home to-day.

BECK'S BOMBAST.

Senator Beck is preparing a tariff speech in which he opposes the idea of commissions and will favor Congress retaining control of the revision.

FIGHTING OVER THE SPOILS.

A warm political contest is in progress here over the position of Chief Naval Constructor of the Navy Yard. Naval Constructor T. D. Wilson has the support of the New England delegation. Naval Constructor Samuel H Pool that of the New York and Pennsylvania men, and Geo. H. Meech the influence of the Pacific Coast. The latter is also understood to have the support of the Secretary of the Navy. The appointment will be made after the holidays.

THE SILVER DOLLAR.

The distribution of standard silver dollars for the week ending December 24th was $411,483, against $390,497 for the corresponding week last year.

TO BE INTRODUCED.

Arrangements have been made for the presentation of the new Chinese Minister to President Arthur next Saturday, by which time it is expected that both the President and Secretary Frelinghuysen will have returned to this city.

THE ASSASSIN'S TRIAL.

He Enjoys a Good Christmas—Judge Cox Indignant.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—The court-room was densely packed. Upon reaching his seat Guiteau looked around smilingly and said: "I had a nice Christmas dinner and hope everybody else did. I had lots of fruit, flowers and lady visitors, and a good time generally." Dr. A. E. McDonald, Superintendent of the Ward's Island Insane Hospital, testified that during his practice he had seen six thousand phases of insanity. The witness stated the difference between "delusions" and "insane delusions," one being a subject of correction by the judgment and senses, the latter not being correctable, and for that reason denominated an insane delusion. Also illusions and hallucinations, giving illustrations from his own experience. He believed, judging from his own experience, that the claim of inspiration frequently asserted by insane persons, proceeded from a source of hallucination or insane delusion affecting the senses. The witness was then asked if persons acting under the claim of inspiration would indicate it in any other ways than by their assertions, and replied, "Their actions and behavior would indicate it as well as their assertions."

COX TO EXPLAIN.

NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—A Tribune Washington dispatch says: Judge Cox said today: "I am aware that my course has been severely criticised, but it would not be proper for me to say anything in reply. When the right time comes I shall be heard from." Cox seemed to be fully aware of the general discontent at his treatment of the assassin, but intimated that the end of the trial must furnish his vindication.

AN ECCENTRIC EXPLOSION.

A Clyde Steamer Mysteriously Blown Up Near Richmond.

RICHMOND, Dec. 27.—News was received here this morning from West Point on the York river of a terrible disaster to the steamer West Point of the Clyde line, plying between that point and Baltimore. The West Point arrived at West Point early yesterday, and the ship's gang began to discharge her cargo. They cleared out all the freight between decks and had gone below into the hold to take out a quantity of kerosene oil, when at ten minutes past 12, midday, an explosion occurred which blew out the side of the vessel into the river and set fire to the ship. Nineteen persons, including four of the crew and nearly all of the steward's hands, perished. The first and second officers escaped, one of them being badly injured. The Captain being on shore was saved. The crew were mostly from Baltimore and the laborers from Richmond and West Point. The West Point was a new ship, having only made a few trips. She was valued at $60,000 and was partially insured.

ADDITIONAL PARTICULARS.

The "West Point" explosion is still unaccounted for. It occurred near the forward hatch, and the vessel was instantly in flames. The twelve colored men in the hold were killed or burned to death. Five others jumped overboard, and four were drowned. The steamer was immediately cut loose, when it was found impossible to save her, and she drifted two miles up Damunky river, where everything burned except her iron hull, which broke amidships. Her chief stevedore, L. S. Bradford, was among the killed. Peter Geoghehan, of Baltimore, her first officer, and Wm. Bohannan, were badly burned. Eighteen of the nineteen dead are colored. Three others of the colored crew are badly injured.

Completed.

CHICAGO, Dec. 27.—The Texas and Pacific Railroad is now completed to the junction with the Southern Pacific Railroad at El Paso, Texas, and will be opened as a through line for business to points in New Mexico, Arizona and California about January 1st. Sleeping cars will be run on express trains from St. Louis to Deming without change, and third-class sleeping cars will be run on emigrant trains with but one change to California.

THE IMPLACABLE HOSTILES.

Their Murderous Movements in Mexico—Troops on Their Trail.

[Associated Press Dispatches.]

TOMBSTONE, A. T., Dec. 27.—Captain T. Blair, bearer of the Epitaph's special correspondence from Oposura, was interviewed last evening by an Epitaph reporter. Captain Blair said that on Monday night, December 18th, the Indians stole two horses at Ojo de Aquia, three miles north of Compas. On Wednesday morning he left Compas for Tombstone, and when four and a half miles out met Don Pancho Escasaga, who informed him of the danger of proceeding alone and persuaded him to return to Ojo De Aquia, in hopes of finding parties with whom to travel.

TROOPS IN PURSUIT.

During the afternoon parties passed unknown to him. Early the next morning he started in hopes to overtake them and traveled all day and night, went off the road and camped without fire or supper. Next morning he started at daylight, after traveling a mile came on the camp of the parties he was following, and found they had one horse stolen the night before. The horse was picketed with a rawhide lariet 100 yards from the camp and the lariet was cut with a knife and Indian tracks were visible. At 11 o'clock this morning he met five companies of troops being about 150 all told, with a large pack train in pursuit of the hostiles. Militia has been ordered out.

WHERE THE INDIANS ARE GOING.

The Indians seem to be moving north and west in the direction of Bucuach and Nacasari, probably making for the Sierra Madres. Captain Blair says that both Mexicans and Americans are very bitter against Gen. Wilcox for letting the Indians escape, or rather driving them into Sonora. There is no danger of the Indians coming back near the Custom House at San Pedro or Tombstone. They will work farther east and either get into the Sierra Madres or Chiricahuas and thence back to the White Mountains. Our troops ought to be on the frontier to cooperate with the Mexicans in crushing this band.

MINING DIVIDEND.

The Virginia Consolidated Mining Company of Tombstone has declared a regular monthly dividend of ten cents, and an extra dividend of ten cents.

SONORA ITEMS.

Messrs. C. T. Cutler, J. E. James, Mr. James and George A. B. Berry came in from Nacasari, Sonora, this afternoon. They heard nothing further from the hostiles. A man by the name of Scott, a resident of Charleston, A. T., was murdered by some convicts who had escaped from Arispe, on the night of Dec. 23d, about eighteen miles southeast from Bacuaychi. At San Pedro they met Pierre Humbert, jr., with a party of fifty-five men and ten big teams loaded with machinery and supplies, bound for some point near Arispa, on the Sonora river. They have to build a road as they proceed, to get their wagons over. The officers at the Custom House at San Pedro do all they can to facilitate the immigration of Americans.

THE BAY'S BUDGET.

Reduction in Telegraph Rates—San Francisco Markets—The Teachers.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 27.—The Western Union Telegraph Company announces a reduction in rates to take effect January 1st. Rates on Eastern business will be reduced twenty-five per cent on day messages and a proportionate reduction on Pacific Coast business. Rates for night messages remain unchanged.

'FRISCO MARKETS.

Wheat, dead; No. 1, $1.55@1.57½. Barley in good demand; feed, $1.47@1.52½; $155@1.57½ for light, and $1.60@1.62 for bright heavy; standard and Chevalier, $1.55@1.57½; coast, $1.42½@1.45 per cental. Oats, active and higher at $1.77@1.77½ for common to choice; suprise, nominal. Corn, nominal, $1.45@1.47½. Hay, $9@14. Wool, quiet; nothing new. Potatoes: Sweet, $1@1¾; River Reds, 95@$1; Early Rose, $1.20@1.25; Petalumas and Tomales, $1.20@1.30; Humboldt Reds, Peach Blow and Kidneys, $1.30@1.35; Oregon, $1.15@1.20.

TEACHERS IN COUNCIL.

The State Teachers' Association met today. Many prominent educators and a large number of teachers were present. James Denman presided. J. S. C. Stubbs, President of the Board of Education, read a short address.

AFTERNOON STOCKS.

Virginia, 1; Curry, 3⅜; Ophir, 5⅜; Eureka, 12; Alpha, 2½; Jacket, 3⅛; Best, 7⅛; Overman, 1⅜; Point, 90c. Belcher, 1⅜; Diablo, 6⅝; Belle, 8¾; Bodie, 2⅞; Tip Top, 3¼; King, 19¾.

NEW YORK NOTES.

Alex. Stephens on Inter-Oceanic Transit—Fever and Fire.

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—The Tribune's Washington special reports the following: Alexander H. Stephens, on the subject of inter-oceanic transit, says: "We should not allow Great Britain, France, or any other European power to acquire an ascendancy over any part of this continent. I think it would be wise for Congress at once to charter a Nicarauga Canal Company."

THE LOSS BY THE FIRE.

The losses by the fire in the South street bonded warehouses on Saturday night are placed at $2,000,000.

SCARLET FEVER SPREADING.

Scarlet fever is increasing to an alarming extent in New York city.

BEASTLY VANDERBILT.

A special from Staten Island says: Samuel Carr, (eighty years of age) a brother-in-law of the late Commodore Vanderbilt, has been twenty years an inmate of the county poor house. He was taken out yesterday by Cornelius, son of William, and placed in an institution in New York.

Palmer Visited.

NEWARK, N. J., Dec. 27.—The mayor, with several city officials, including members of the finance committee, visited the jail this noon to confer with Auditor Palmer concerning his defalcations. He stated off-hand that there were frauds than had yet come to light, but could not give details. He assumed entire responsibility for defalcations and frauds.

A Town Burned.

MILWAUKEE, Dec. 27.—Further particulars of the fire at Durand, Wisconsin, state that the entire town, with the exception of three buildings, have been destroyed. There were twenty-four buildings in the village. The loss is estimated at $25,000. High wind prevailed during the conflagration. The fire was accidental.

Jewelry Factory Burned.

ATTLEBORO, Mass., Dec. 27.—A disastrous fire occurred in Robinson's jewelry factory this morning, which destroyed the building, containing several heavy firms. Total loss unknown.

FOREIGN FACTS.

The Work of The Mormons in England—The Holy Cross Panic.

[Associated Press Dispatches.]

LONDON, Dec. 27.—The Mormon missionaries held a conference in London yesterday. Mormonism in London has been unsuccessful, but many converts have been made in the provinces. It is proposed to take the converts to Utah early in 1882. Some of the elders will remain to proselytize. A number of them will return to Utah. Fifteen hundred converts have been made in England since August.

THE WARSAW PANIC.

A dispatch from Warsaw reports the deaths so far from the panic in the Church of the Holy Cross on Christmas morning, to number 46. Others are injured.

DEATH OF A NOBLEMAN.

Viscount Helmsley (Conservative), member of Parliament for North Riding, Yorkshire, is dead.

EMMIGRATION FROM GERMANY.

BERLIN, Dec. 27.—The emigratton from Germany in 1882 promises to become more colossal than in 1881.

Financial.

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—Silver bars, 112½; money, 5; Gov'ts, irregular; stocks, irregular but firmer; Western Union, 78; quicksilver, 12⅛; Pacific, 40¼; Mariposa, 4; Wells Fargo, 130; N. Y. Central, 132¼; Erie, 40½; Panama, 189; U. P., 115½; Bonds, 117; C. P., 90½; Bonds, 115½; Sutro, 1; Mineral Creek, 5.

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Come direct to our Store. 'We will show you more Mens' and Boys' Clothing in half an hour than you can see in a whole day in all the other clothing stores in the county combined. As to prices there will be no trouble on that score, as

WE HAVE DETERMINED

TO TAKE THE WIND OUT OF THE

Sails of all Competitors!

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We keep constantly on hand the latest and most correct styles and best makes, and for the Holidays the following specialties:

BLACK BROADCLOTH DRESS SUITS,

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WILMINGTON HARBOR.

The Chamber of Commerce Considers its Improvement.

An Excursion Proposed to Inspect the Condition of the Harbor—History and Progress of the Improvements.

The Chamber of Commerce met yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock at their rooms on Spring street, J. de Barth Shorb, the President of the society presiding. Dr. Widney, (the Chairman of the Committee on the Wilmington harbor) stated that the principal business before the Chamber was to make arrangements for an excursion to Wilmington, to give the citizens an opportunity to see the extent of the work done in the past before making an application to Congress for an appropriation of $200,000 for the completion of the harbor improvements.

AN EXCURSION TO WILMINGTON.

A communication was read by the Secretary from T. H. Goodman, of the C. P. and S. P. Railroads, stating that an excursion train would be furnished at prices low enough for the Board to put the round trip down to $1 for each passenger.

On motion, resolutions were passed accepting the offer, and fixing Thursday, January the 5th, as the day for the excursion, the train to leave Commercial street depot at 12 M. and return to Los Angeles at 5 P. M.

A resolution was passed requesting the Board of Supervisors and the Mayor and City Council to join the excursion. Also that all business men and all persons interested in the harbor be invited to attend. The Board then adjourned to meet the first of next week.

Considering the great benefit to be derived by Los Angeles county from the improvement of the Wilmington harbor and the gigantic efforts made by the Chamber of Commerce in furthering this enterprise a brief history of the harbor will be of interest to the readers of the TIMES.

HISTORY OF WILMINGTON HARBOR.

The port of Wilmington has been for nearly a century the shipping point of a region including most of what is now Southern California, Southern Utah and Arizona. The port comprises a roadstead, sheltered, except from the south gales of winter, which affords good anchorage to the largest ships, and an inner harbor, completely landlocked, but which is separated from the roadstead without by a bar. Until the last five or six years vessels have always lain out in the roadstead and discharged by means of lighters. To remove this bar and make accessible the inner harbor, the Government has, so far, expended $600,000 in constructing a breakwater to confine the tide to one channel across the bar, and in dredging that channel. When the work was commenced the bar had only 1½ feet of water at low tide; it now has upwards of 9 feet, or at high tide some 15 feet, and is constantly deepening. Already many scores of vessels have availed themselves of this entrance; as many as fifteen, some drawing about 14 feet of water, lying inside at one time.

DEPTH OVER THE BAR.

The engineers variously estimate the depth of water which may ultimately be secured, and which will keep open through the action of the tide, at from 17 to 19 feet at low tide, or at ordinary high tide from 23 to 25 feet. The swell upon the bar, owing to the sheltered roadstead outside, is so light that nearly every foot of depth secured is available. This depth will allow of the entrance of the larger portion of sea-going ships. Even the present depth will admit most of the steamers and sailing vessels plying in the coast trade. The engineers state that when once the bar is removed there is no danger of its ever forming again. Inside the bar is a ship channel, perfectly sheltered, several miles in length, with a width of from 700 to 800 feet, and a depth at low tide of 25 feet, shoaling to 12 feet at its head.

It is of exceeding importance to Southern California that the Government work should not cease until every foot of water that can be kept open through the bar, shall have been secured. The fact that from San Francisco to San Diego, a distance of 500 miles, there is no harbor of refuge in storms except this, shows the importance of the work to commerce in general, apart from its need for the trade of this section of the State. The citizens of Wilmington are now actively engaged in the work of improving the inner harbor, clearing ship basins about the wharves, and dredging out an angle in the channel to make the approach to the wharves more convenient.

PROGRESS OF THE WORK.

The work has been progressing rapidly during the past year, and if the people succeed in getting another appropriation from Congress to complete the work this section will have one of the best little harbors on the coast. The natural grades of the continent make Wilmington harbor the practical Pacific ocean terminous of the whole Southern trans-continental system of railroads. Back of it lies the San Gorgonio pass, crossing the Sierra at an elevation of only 2,700 feet, the only true pass in the whole line of that range. The routes of all these trans-continental roads lead below the snow line. Wilmington and New Orleans are the natural termini of the shortest southern trans-continental road. The connection from Wilmington harbor through to the East by the Southern Pacific and the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe roads is now almost made. And when it is completed Wilmington will be able to compete with San Francisco. The people of Los Angeles county should stand by the Chamber of Commerce and the harbor committee in their efforts to secure this appropriation, which will be of such benefit to the entire county. Dr. F. P. Widney, the principal mover in this important matter, deserves the thanks and gratitude of the entire community.

The Ah Lee Soap Case.

Ah Lee, the soap Chinaman who got away with about 100 pounds of soap from the soap factory last Saturday night, was arraigned before the city criminal court yesterday and pleaded not guilty. His examination was set for Saturday at 10 A. M., with bail fixed at $500.

The Weather Report.

Observations taken by the U. S. Army Signal Service at 8 o'clock last night are as follows: Barometer, 30.14; Thermometer, 49.45; Wind, N.—5 miles per hour; Clear; Maximum thermometer, 57; Minimum thermometer, 39.

Too Lazy to Work.

Pat Carroll, the vag who was captured the other day wandering around Main street in a loose manner, was before the city criminal court yesterday and got nine days in the chain gang for being too lazy to work for a little grub.

ABOUT TOWN.

The county taxes received up to last evening amounted to nearly $230,000.

Tom Flynn got nine days yesterday in the city criminal court for playing Christmas last Sunday.

Several workmen were engaged yesterday in repairing a broken sewer on the corner of Temple and Spring streets.

Wm. Andrews was arraigned before the city criminal court yesterday for being in mischief, and pleaded not guilty. His trial was set for Friday at 10 A. M.

Pat de Ford, a lush, was relegated to the joys of the city chain gang by the City Criminal Judge yesterday for lapping up too much bad beer last Sunday.

The Judge of the city criminal court gave Don Antonio Andresa, a Mexican blood nine days in the chain gang for getting away with too much gin Sunday.

The Chamber of Commerce, accompanied by the Hon. J. W. Shanklin, Surveyor-General of this State, and a number of prominent citizens will visit the harbor at Wilmington on Thursday.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Judge Wassen and wife, of Tucson, are registered at the Cosmopolitan.

J. W. Putnan, of Albany, New York, is stopping at the Pico House.

W. W. Noland, of Riverside, is at the St. Charles.

Prof. Samples's Show.

California is the home of the mustang, the meanest horse in the world when not properly broken, but when the California horse is trained by persons understanding the business he is the best dispositioned and most serviceable animal extant. The ladies of California are more in the habit os driving than in any other part of the United States and should have gentle horses. Prof. Henry Sample, the veteran ho-se trainer of the Eastern States is now on his first visit to California, and will undoubtedly be of more benefit to the lovers of horseflesh than any man who has ever visited this coast. He has been in Los Angeles about a month, and has convinced every father and husband who has attended his school that the knowledge imparted by the Professor is worth much more than the paltry sum charged for the information.

A Ticket Scalper in Trouble.

Edward Nettinger, proprietor of the employment office in the Postoffice building, was arrested yesterday afternoon on a charge of obtaining money under false pretenses. It seems that he sold a scalper's railroad ticket from Los Angeles to San Francisco to a waiter at one of the hotels. The waiter rode as far as Sepulveda on the ticket, when the conductor put him off. He returned and had Nettinger arrested. He was arraigned before the city criminal court yesterday and pleaded not guilty. His examination was set for Saturday at 2 P. M., with bail fixed at $50.

Exposing Spiritualism.

Chas. H. Reed, the champion light weight spiritual fraud exposer of the United States, gave his second performance at Turn-Verein Hall last night, before a very good audience. He took up the same line of programme as on the first night, but went a step further and made the entire performance so plain that any one of the audience could now start on a tour of Fay, fraud, spirit, circus, gull, combination money-making whoop-up. The audience left feeling well pleased with the performance. Professor Reed may give an entertainment for ladies and children.

Tricky Tapia.

Jose A. Tapia was brought before the city criminal court yesterday for getting away with a mustang belonging to Amabla Qullado, at Pomona, last week, and selling it to J. G. DeTurk, the livery man of Main street. He pleaded not guilty. The examination was set for Friday next at 2 P. M. with bail fixed at $500. The defendant failing to produce he was sent to jail. Another charge was filed against Tapia for getting money under false pretenses, in selling the horse to DeTurk for $15. The case was set for the same day.

Leaves To-Day.

Col. R. C. Clowry, General Superintendent of the Central Division of the Western Union Telegraph Company, accompanied by his Secretary, will leave this morning for the East. Col. Clowry has been spending a few weeks on this coast, attending to business connected with the Telegraph Company. His headquarters are located at Chicago. The divisions that are under his management extend from Pittsburg, Penn., to and including the Pacific Coast.

Stockley Joins the Staff.

George W. Stockley, an old hotel "boy," well and favorably known to every hotel man in the State, swore off yesterday. He has been chief clerk at the Cosmopolitan for a number of months, but a change came over gentle George; he pined for the free and variagated life of the knight of the lead-pencil, and made a break for the TIMES office and joined the reportorial staff. The young man has more than ordinary ability and is bound to succeed.

Christmas at the Orphans' Home.

The ladies of the Board of Managers of the Figueroa street Orphans' Home are now busy preparing a Christmas tree for the little ones under their charge. The friends of the institution are invited to visit the Home on Monday, January 2, 1882, at 2 P. M., and witness the distribution of the presents. Any donations will be thankfully received either at the Home or by Mrs. Stannay, at 113 Fort street, or Mrs. Hugel at 74 Fort street.

He Wanted Watching.

Last night about 8:30 a Chinese highbinder started out as a watch merchant and captured four watches from Mendosie's jewelry store on Arcadia street. True to the instinct of this pecular race, as soon as he got the watches in his bony clutches he started on a dead run for life and liberty, but ran blindfold into the arms of the night watchman at Lankershim's mills. He now awaits his trial at the city prison.

The Cost of a Coat.

The fellow James Evans, who was captured with Henry Steele's coat on Los Angeles street last Saturday, was before the city criminal court yesterday and pleaded guilty. He wanted to observe Christmas and needed cash, so he sold the coat to an old clothes shop for a small sum. The court gave him 45 days in the county jail.

JOLLY BACHINALS.

A Gay Party at the Commercial in Honor of a Wedding.

Last night, A. P. Mansfield, Hon. R. F. Del Valle, Isidor Polaski, G. W. Van Vorst, H. C. Wemer, Aaron Smith and Louis Levinsky, met at the Commercial restaurant, the occasion being a banquet given by Isidor Polaski in honor of the marriage of his sister, Miss Gussie Polaski to Jaques Blum, of the firm of Loewe Bros., wholesale liquor dealers of San Francisco. The marriage came off in San Francisco at 8 o'clock last night, and this jolly crowd sat down to a magnificent banquet at 7:30, and kept up their feast until a late hour. A toast was proposed to the happy couple by Lewis Levinsky and responded to by the Hon. R. F. Del Valle in one of his happy little after-dinner speeches. It was taken up by several others, and if the young parties to the marriage contract live half as happily as those jolly boys desired and predicted they will be more than blessed: During the evening champagne flowed as the crystal water from the springs of San Antonio, Texas. This is old but it fits the occasion to a dot. The following bill of fare was printed on white silk with the name of each guest in gold:

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GIVEN BY
MR. ISIDOR POLASKI
In honor of the marriage of his Sister,
GUSSIE,
AND
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Huitzes de L'Est.
POTAGE.
Consomme a la Royale, Hors d Oruvers,
Olives de France, Mayonnaise de Vallaise,
Bert Sautternes.
POISSON.
Hallibut a la Hollandaise, Pommes a la Duchess,
Bordeaux Medoc.
RELEOR.
Fillet de Beouf a la Rothchild.
ENTREES.
Catelettes a la Duferoy, Pigeons a la Rebecca.
LEGUMES.
Fetti Pois a la Anglaise Choux Fleurs,
Chateau Larose.
ROTIS.
Canard Roumenais, Dinde Truffie.
ENTRENETS.
Merringue de Pechi a la Reine.
DESSERT.
Gateaux Assortes, Fruits de la Season.
Champagne—Roederer
Cafe. Liquers.

Will Hunt No More.

Sir Robert Hnnter, who went a hunting for doctors the other night, appeared before the city criminal court yesterday and pleaded guilty to two charges—one for getting away with Dr. Orme's horse blanket and the other for capturing Dr. Fellows' horse covering. For this little piece of fun the court gave him 60 days in the county jail.

An Artesian Well.

The artesian well at Sunny Slope was completed on Saturday last, and will flow over 150,000 gallons of water per day. This well makes the sixteenth at that place.

Twelve Days for Drunkenness.

Peter Patterson pleaded guilty before the city criminal court yesterday to being drunk and fighting on the public streets. He got twelve days on the chain-gang.

AT THE HOTELS.

COSMOPOLITAN HOTEL.

R McMurry, City	G A Treadwell & wf, S
J Wasson & wf, Tucson	Monica
W D McClure, Ohio	R C Clowry, Chicago
M Thomas, Tucson	A E Rawson, Mo
Mrs C L Smith, City	W Tooper, City
W Stewart, City	S M Miller, Leadvl
F Eschwich, do	B T Mills, N Y
E G McMullen, Dmng	F P Belt, do
W Muller, Orange	A R McCall, S F
R White, do	L Alexander, do
J Travis, do	N J Bartley, do
C Souard, Savanna	J Cannon, do
C W Blackley, do	W H Keys, do
F Smith, A T	E J Kendall, City
J E Bryan, S F	J A Beckwith, do
B B Laws, do	J L Garrison, Denver
N A Kimble, N Y	L D Norton, Wimgtn
L Wolff, Temecula	E W Burges, Deming
T Broerly, do	G W Mitchell, do
P Mouren, do	N H Donovan, City

ST. CHARLES HOTEL.

Jas McIntyre, Lynden	B F Hartman, Colo
Mrs E Graham, Ossg'da	E R Hartman, do
M A Leal, R'side	Mrs C N Cole, S Ana
W W Noland, do	Dr E Gallup, do
B Talmadge, Rosadina	R L Robbins & w, Salinas
H C Toright, do	O A Anthony & w, Iowa
Alex Dominguez, S Bar	Jacob Samuel, Colton
J Pearson, city	Geo Turner, city
G W Brotherton, city	J V Hoag, do
J J Allison, Calico Mt	C L Van Epp, Bish Crk

Real Estate Transfers.

[Reported by Judson, Gillette and Gibson.]

TUESDAY, December 27th.

P. Potts to J. M. Dawson.—Two acres in Ro Santiago de Santa Ana, $250.

E. C. Glidden to N. Vanderlip.—Lot 5, blk B, Lewis' Addition to Tustin City, $90.

John G. Downey to Ann McGorry—Lot 9, blk 4, East Los Angeles, $125.

W. B. Pendleton to Joseph P. Green—Part of SW ¼ Sec 26, T 3 S, R 12 W, $750.

M. C. Condit to Mrs. Dell Bloeser—Lot 2, blk 5, Chavez tract, $300.

T. A. McKinnon to Joseph J. Deming—Lot 3, Alanis Vineyard tract, $400.

J. H. Moesser to Henry Schrooder—Davenport tract, (10 acres) in A B. Chapman tract, $975.

P. L. Edgar to J. H. Moesser (March 24, 1880) —Same as last foregoing, $600.

W. Woodworth to Wm. H. Perry—Lot W side Buena Vista St, $1.

S. H. Mott to Wm. H. Perry—Same as last foregoing, $1.

State of California to Phineas Banning—453.93 acres in Secs 5, 6 and 7, T 5 S, R 13 W, Patent.

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THE SUPERIOR COURTS.

JUDGE HOWARD'S COURT.

Estate of F. McLain deceased—Petition to set aside homestead heard and granted.

L. F. Fletcher vs. E. N. Fletcher—Application for order for temporary alimony argued and taken under advisement.

Wilson vs. Grijalva—Continued until January 5th, 1882, at 10 A. M.

Estate of Amos F. Waterman deceased—Continued until Tuesday next at 10 A. M.

Chapman vs. Bates—Leave granted to withdraw testimany.

Lazzarovich vs. Leonis—Statement on motion for new trial settled and allowed; set for hearing on Friday, December 30 at 10 A. M.

A. Foster vs. creditors—Final discharge of insolvent granted.

A. Robinson, Trustee, vs. Wm. H. Gleeson—On motion of plaintiff, decree signed and ordered to enter.

SET FOR TO-DAY AT 10 A. M.

Mound City Land and Water Association vs. Phillips et al.

Estate of Jose J. Rocha—Petition to set aside homestead.

Gillmore vs. Insurance Company.

JUDGE SEPULVEDA'S COURT.

McGarvin vs. Bryant.
People vs. Ganee.
Williams vs. Lanterman.

Passengers Coming.

FRESNO, Dec. 27.—The following passengers passed Fresno to-night and will arrive in Los Angeles to-morrow morning:

Mrs Turner, Stockton; W Boninger, Baltimore; D E Meliss, J B Flores, F McCue, San Francisco; R B Edgar, Austin; C Wise, H E Heighton, San Francisco; A Koppe, New York; S A Norcross, San Francisco; J Simpson, Nevada; Mr. Rerry, Minnesota; F W Turner, Tucson; F L Smith, Sacramento; Miss Miller, Stockton; J N Marble, W H Culver, New York; J Crismon, Salt Lake; E L Greene; G W Ware, Hollister: Mrs W A Ward, Tucson; W B Murray, Tombstone; Theo F Tracy, E C Smith, San Francisco; C P Newton, Boston; Mrs Sol Simpson, F R Wagoner, Nevada; C H Mercier, Oakland.

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☞ A free omnibus to the hotel.
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Of all kinds; also
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Dealers in
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Blinds, Shingles,
Posts, Laths,
Shakes, Hair,
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Family Carriage,	per day,	$5.00
Two horses and buggy,	" "	3.00
Single horse and buggy,	" "	2.50
Two horses and spring wagon,	" "	2.50
Single horse and buggy,	half day,	1.50
Saddle horse,	per day,	1.00

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At 86 Spring St., Los Angeles,
Second-Hand Goods of every description, Farming Implements, Tools, Saddles, Harness, etc. Anything that is saleable will command the highest market price. T. BRADSHAW, Little Brick Store. d8-1m

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	LEAVE.	ARRIVE.
Anaheim	4:50 P. M.	8:30 A. M.
"	9:35 A. M.	4 P. M.
Benson	8:25 A. M.	4:55 P. M.
Casa Grande	8:25 A. M.	4:55 P. M.
Colton (Sunday excepted)	8:25 A. M.	4:55 P. M.
" Local (Sunday exoptd	2:30 P. M	9:40 A. M.
Deming and Express	8:25 A. M.	4:55 P. M.
East Emigrant	5:30 P. M.	1:15 A. M.
El Paso, Tex	8:25 A. M.	4:55 P. M.
Lathrop, (connecting with S. P. R. R. for the East)	5:15 P. M.	7:55 A. M.
Maricopa	8:25 A. M.	4:55 P. M.
Prescott	8:25 A. M.	4:55 P. M.
San Francisco	5:15 P. M.	7:55 A. M.
" " (third class)	8:55 A. M.	3:30 P. M.
Santa Monica	4:20 P. M.	8:15 A. M.
" " (Sundays only)	9:30 A. M.	4 P. M.
Santa Ana	4:50 P. M.	8:20 A. M.
San Diego	9:35 P. M.	4:00 A. M.
Tombstone	8:25 A. M.	4:55 P. M.
Tucson	8:25 A. M.	4:55 P. M.
Wilmington	10:35 A. M.	2:20 P. M.
" (Local)	2:45 P. M.	9:15 A. M.
Yuma	8:25 A. M.	4:55 P. M.
" (Third class)	5:30 P. M.	4:15 A. M.

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Remember—Men's and boy's suits and overcoats, ulsters, pants and all clothing at exceedingly low prices; also boots and shoes and rubber goods way down, at the I X L, Downey Block, Main street.

For reliable and stylish patterns, call on Mrs. H. B. Bollinger, No. 6 Temple street, opposite Mirror office. Pleating also done in all its branches, from one to 21 inches in width. Knife pleating 2 cents per yard.

M. Hoff, City of Berlin Dry Goods and Furnishing Goods Store, 49 Main street, has made a sweeping reduction in the price of every article as a special inducement to the public during the Holidays.

When you see in any other store goods offered at a reduced price you can always get the same goods at the same or less price at J. C. Bright's Famous Cheap Store, and all other goods lower than elsewhere.

I. Wickersham, dealer in grain, hay, wood and charcoal. Horses boarded by the day or month. Saddle and buggy horses for sale, to let, or exchange. 83 Spring street, near the postoffice.

Call at the New York Bazar, corner Spring and First streets, opposite Postoffice, for crockery, glassware, tinware and fancy goods of every description. A nice variety of Christmas goods on hand. Cent coins taken.

The air is full of it—the fumes of Gardner's candy kettle—the headquarters for taffy, Main street, below the Pico House.

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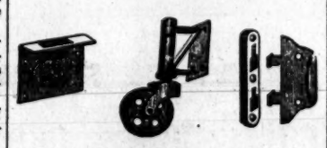

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SPENCER W. DARBY, the Administrator of the Estate of Maud Emily Wilson, deceased, having filed his petition herein praying for an order of sale of a portion of the real estate of said decedent, for the purpose therein set forth.

It is therefore ordered by the undersigned, one of the Judges of said Court, that all persons interested in the estate of said deceased, appear before the said Superior Court on Monday, the 16th day of January, 1882, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the Court Room of said Superior Court at the Court House in the County of Los Angeles, to show cause why an order should not be granted to the said Administrator to sell so much of the real estate of the said deceased as shall be necessary.

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